(d) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Although there are some instances of delay in the refund of the advance money, no specific case of non-refund of advance money by the company has been brought to the notice of the Government. The company has reported that refunds are made in a period of sixty days of receipt of cancellation advice in complete form.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.

Hindustan Antibiotics Limited

1796. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Hindustan Antibiotics Limited (HAL) has been incurring losses during the last few years;

(b) if so, what are the details of losses suffered by the company during 1984-85 and 1985-86; and the accumulated loss incurred so far; and

(c) what measures are being taken by Government to make HAL a profit making unit?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETRO-CHEMICALS IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Details of losses incurred by HAL during 1984-85 and 1985-86 and the accumulated loss as on 31.3.1986 are as follows:

	Rs. in Crores
1984-85	5.81
1985-86	8.12
Accumulated loss as on 31-3-1986	36.80

(c) At the instance of the Government, the company set up an in-house task force to identify the constraints and opportunities and to come out with concrete plan for its rehabilitation and revival. On the basis of the analysis made by the task force, the company has recently prepared a rehabilitation plan to make it a viable unit.

No Industry Districts in Andhra Pradesh

1797. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the number and names of the districts in Andhra Pradesh declared as "No Industry District" since 1980 to date under the new policy with a view to accelerate industrial development in backward area; and

(b) the action taken by the Central Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) Districts having no large or medium Scale Industries as per Action Plan of District Industry Centres for 1979-80, were identified as 'No Industry Districts'. No district in Andhra Pradesh fulfilled this criteria and, therefore, was not included in the list of No Industry Districts.

Indo-Soviet Cooperation for Industry

1798. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Govern-